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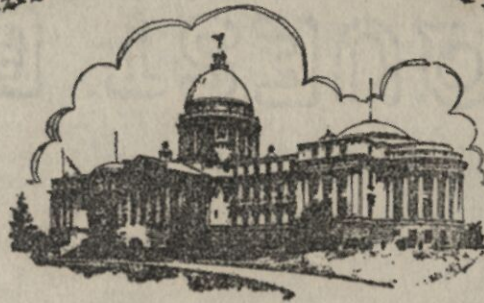
A. B. Smith
Senate Chamber
STATE OF MISSISSIPPI
JACKSON



Mrs. A. B. Smith -
Pechon Co. & Pittsburg Miss.

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My dear "big boy" Wednesday "nite"

As per my promise am going to write at least a line to you.

I have about four or five pieces.

I have had in the room ever since I came here and they are all worn out as just as scratchy as can be and I cannot think even to get some more from the Office but those I would get or not much better as they have the "Crumer" pens and ink I ever saw anywhere. The Court house at Pittsboro has them skinned - so this was account in for the partial illegibility of my scribble.

I have had another busy day not quite as bad as yesterday though.

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Was called before the Gov - this morning
as he informed from the newspapers that
I was reflecting on his administration
in consequence of my introducing the
"Panic" resolutions which you
have seen in the papers.

I squared the matter with him,
but would not care if I had not.
as I have no regrets for my
actions. If you have not seen
the "Jaxan" press - will bring them
when I come.

The resolution was referred to
the Judiciary Com. I was called
before them at 2 P.M. for an hour.

I did not give them my full
information as to names etc.
witnesses etc. for they reason
they were not the proper ones to have

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this but I held that the same are
investigation in the event are should
be afforded ~~was~~ the proper body to
hold this - are this was in executive
session which means in secret
from the public and newspapers -

The same you the resolution are
unfavorable report this evening which
means the Senate will not consider

I am now going before the
Senate tomorrow on a ~~part~~ point
of personal privilege and make
the same statement, then there
will be some more "stir" its right
funny - I am astonished at the
high handed legislation being
attempted, and which will more
than likely be enacted before the
close of the session -

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In the Finance meeting to night
some of the leaders predict that we can
not get away from here Sat but
would adjourn probably Wednesday - I
certainly hope to get away Sat - don't
"fine nor fret" - because it would be
very long - at best -

I spoke this evening against any
appropriation for obsequies - and gave
my reasons - I was the only one to
vote against the bill but some of
the ablest men in the body still
insist that my theory was sound -

Will write you again tomorrow "Nite" a
few lines any - if nothing more than to
tell you I love you dearly - and that
if possible "Absence makes the heart
grow fonder"

Love to all my folks -
Always "Do!"